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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Nicholas D. Spencer and Seunghwan Lee

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International Application

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For: ENVIRONMENTALLY COMPATIBLE ADDITIVES FOR

AQUEOUS LUBRICANTS

MAIL STOP AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on January 9, 2008, please amend the application as follows. Submitted with this Amendment and Response is a Petition to extend the period for response one month, to and including May 9, 2008, and Request for Continued Examination (RCE). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$465, the sum of the fee for a Onemonth Extension of Time (\$60) and an RCE (\$405) for a small entity, to Deposit Account No. 503129. It is believed that no additional fee is required with this submission. However, should a

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fee be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee to Deposit Account No.

503129.